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AMENDING THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TEACHERS' LEAVE ACT OF 1949

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Mr. PASTORE, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. 2949]

The Committee on the District of Columbia, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2949) to amend the District of Columbia Teachers' Leave Act of 1949, after full consideration, report favorably thereon with an amendment and recommend that the bill as amended do pass.

The amendment is as follows:

Page 1, insert a new section as follows:

SEC. 2. This Act shall become effective as of July 1, 1949.

The purpose of this bill is to rectify an omission in the District of Columbia Teachers' Leave Act of 1949. Under that act, the Board of Education was provided authority to hire and pay substitutes in cases where teachers were on sick leave or leave with pay. This proposed legislation would give the Board of Education the same authority in cases of teachers on leave without pay.

The bill has the approval of the Board of Commissioners, the Board of Education, Local 27, American Federation of Teachers, and various teachers' associations of the District of Columbia. It was favorably reported by a unanimous vote of the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia.

CHANGES IN EXISTING LAW

In compliance with subsection (4) of rule XXIX of the Standing Rules of the Senate, changes in existing law in the bill, as reported, are shown as follows (existing law proposed to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets; new matter is printed in italics; existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman):

(63 Stat. 842)

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SEC. 6. The Board of Education is hereby authorized to employ substitute teachers and attendance officers for service during the absence of any teacher or attendance officer on leave with pay *or on leave without pay* and to fix the rate of compensation to be paid such substitutes.

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